

IN THE CLAIMS

Having thus described our invention, what we claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent is:

1 *Sub* 1. A digital broadcast receiving system comprising:  
2 *pg* a digital broadcast receiver having a transmitting  
3 means for transmitting electronic program guide (EPG)  
4 data contained in a received digital broadcast data; and  
5 a program display and selecting apparatus having a  
6 receiving means for receiving the EPG data transmitted  
7 from said digital broadcast receiver.

1 *Sub B1* 2. The digital broadcast receiving system according to  
2 claim 1, wherein said program display and selecting  
3 apparatus comprises a displaying means for displaying the  
4 received EPG data.

1 3. The digital broadcast receiving system according to  
2 claim 1, wherein said digital broadcast receiver  
3 periodically transmits EPG data.

1 4. The digital broadcast receiving system according to  
2 claim 1, wherein said program display and selecting  
3 apparatus comprises an operation means for operating said  
4 digital broadcast receiver.

1 5. The digital broadcast receiving system according to  
2 claim 4, wherein said program display and selecting  
3 apparatus comprises a transmitting means for transmitting  
4 operational information inputted into said operation  
5 means to said digital broadcast receiver; and

6 said digital broadcast receiver comprises a  
7 receiving means for receiving the operational information  
8 transmitted from said program display and selecting  
9 apparatus.

1 6. The digital broadcast receiving system according to  
2 claim 4, wherein said operation means comprises a touch  
3 panel.

1 7. The digital broadcast receiving system according to  
2 claim 4, wherein said operation means selects a program  
3 to be monitored.

1 8. A digital broadcast receiver comprising a  
2 transmitting means for transmitting EPG data contained in  
3 a received digital broadcast data.

1 9. The digital broadcast receiver according to claim 8,  
2 wherein said EPG data is transmitted periodically.

1 10. The program display and selecting apparatus  
2 comprising a receiving means from receiving EPG data  
3 transmitted from the digital broadcast receiver as  
4 claimed in claim 8.

1 11. The program display and selecting apparatus  
2 according to claim 10, comprising a display means for  
3 displaying said received EPG data.

1 12. The program display and selecting apparatus  
2 according to claim 10, comprising an operation means for  
3 operating said digital broadcast receiver.

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